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IMPORT HEALTH REQUIREMENTS OF THE REPUBLIC OF SENEGAL
FOR BREEDING CATTLE EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED STATES

The animals must be accompanied by a U.S. Origin Health Certificate issued by a veterinarian authorized by the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) and endorsed by a Veterinary Services (VS) veterinarian. The certificate shall contain the name and address of both the consignor and consignee and complete identification of the animals to be exported. Additional information shall include:

CERTIFICATION STATEMENTS

1. The United States is free of foot-and-mouth disease, rinderpest (cattle plague), contagious bovine pleuropneumonia, lumpy skin disease, heartwater and bovine spongiform encephalopathy.
2. The animals originated from a herd of negative status for brucellosis and tuberculosis for at least 3 years (see note).
3. The animals originated from premises where there has been no clinical evidence of the following diseases for at least 12 months immediately prior to export: infectious bovine rhinotracheitis/infectious pustular vulvovaginitis (IBR/IPV), paratuberculosis, bluetongue, anaplasmosis, enzootic bovine leukosis, leptospirosis and vesicular stomatitis.
4. The animals have been treated for internal and external parasites on _____ (date) with _____ (Name of Products), prior to export during the isolation period.
5. The animals have been vaccinated twice for IBR/IPV with killed virus vaccine at least 21 days apart with _____ (Name of product), on _____ (dates) with the second vaccination being conducted during isolation.
6. All the female animals in the shipment are official calfhood-vaccinates and are so identified on the health certificate.
7. All the animals in the shipment have been vaccinated on _____ (date) for clostridial diseases during the export isolation period.
8. The animals for export have been held in an export isolation facility for at least 30 days, from _____ (date), until exportation.
9. The animals for export were inspected and found to be free from evidence of any communicable diseases.

Note: A herd of negative status for brucellosis and tuberculosis is interpreted as a herd which the USDA area veterinarian in charge has no reason to believe is infected with brucellosis or tuberculosis.

TEST REQUIREMENT

The animals were negative to the following tests conducted during the export isolation, except that the tuberculosis test may be conducted within 60 days prior to the export isolation:

1. Tuberculosis - Intradermal caudal fold test using bovine PPD tuberculin
2. Brucellosis -
 - a. Vaccinated animals: standard tube test or standard plate test (STT or SPT) at the 1:100 dilution,
 - b. Unvaccinated animals (males): STT or SPT at the 1:50 dilution
3. Trichomoniasis: - Culture of vaginal or prepucial swabs (test not required for virgin heifers, females bred artificially and males under 1 year of age)
4. Campylobacteriosis - Culture of vaginal or prepucial swabs (test not required for virgin heifers, females bred artificially and males under 1 year of age)

EMBARKATION STATEMENT

At the port of embarkation, a VS port veterinarian shall attach to the U.S. Origin Health Certificate, the Certificate of Inspection of Export Animals (VS Form 17-37) showing:

1. The name and address of the consignor.
2. The name and address of the consignee.
3. The number and species of animals to be shipped.
4. A statement that the animals have been given a careful inspection at the port of embarkation and found free from evidence of communicable disease and exposure thereto within 24 hours of exportation.